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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Appln. of: Landers et al.

Appln. No.: 10/790,957

Examiner:
Frederick C. Nicolas

Filed: March 1, 2004

Art Unit: 3754

For: SELECTION MANIFOLD FOR BEVERAGE
DISPENSER

Attorney Docket No: 6555/427

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Amendment and Response Under 37 C.F.R. §1.111, 16 pages.
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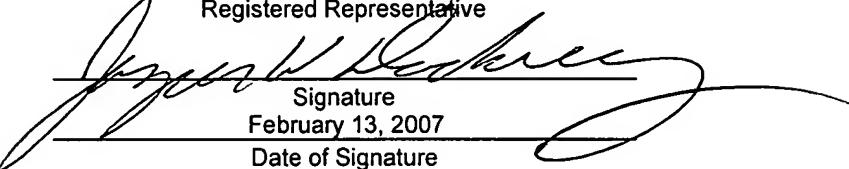
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of November 13, 2006, in the above-referenced application, please reconsider the rejection in view of the amendment and remarks presented herein.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning at page 2 of this paper.